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Docket No.: 44033-122

PATENT**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Marc J. MCKENNON, et al.

Application No.: 09/859,503

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For: PYRIDOPYRIMIDINE COMPOUNDS AND THEIR USES

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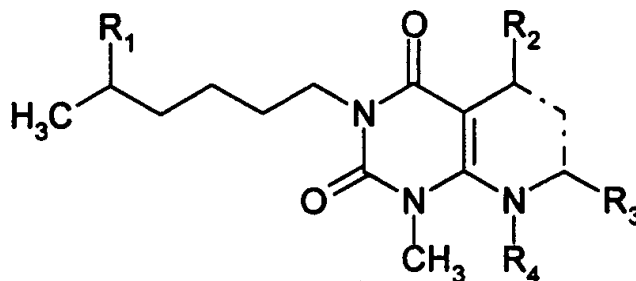
Examiner: M. Berch

AMENDMENTHonorable Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This amendment is submitted along with an Appeal Brief. It is respectfully requested that the claims 1, 2 and 7 in the above-identified patent application be amended to read as follows:

1. A therapeutic compound, including resolved enantiomers, diastereomers, tautomers, salts and solvates thereof, having one of the following formulae:



or